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Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.313(c)(2), Applicants respectfully request that the present application be withdrawn from issue so that a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) filed concurrently herewith and a Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement can be considered. The present application was allowed on October 17, 2005, and the Issue Fee was paid on November

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Applicants have filed herewith on even date a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 and a Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement for the Examiner's consideration.

Applicants have attached hereto an executed copy of each of the Request for Continued Examination (RCE) and of the Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) (without references) that are being filed on even date herewith.

Grant of this petition is respectfully requested, as well as entry of and consideration of the Request for Continued Examination in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.114(a)(1).

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fee associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-0089.

Should the Examiner have any questions, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at the below-listed telephone number.

Respectfully submitted, Masatoshi OZAWA

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